

## CLAIMS

The invention claimed is:

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1. A protective device for a personal item, comprising a body portion with an edge, said edge defining an opening through which the personal item may be inserted into the body portion, wherein said body portion protects the personal item and wherein a portion of the personal item is accessible and may be used to hang said  
10 eyeglasses.

2. The protective device of claim 1, wherein the personal item is a cell  
phone.

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3. The protective device of claim 1, wherein the personal items are eyeglasses having at least one bow and wherein one bow is accessible for use to hang the inserted eyeglasses and device on an exterior surface.

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4. The eyeglass protective device of claim 3, wherein said body portion is formed from a cloth-like material.

5. The eyeglass protective device of claim 4, wherein said cloth-like material is stretchable and is adapted to snugly fit around said eyeglasses.

6. The eyeglass protective device of claim 4, wherein said cloth-like material is adapted for cleaning eyeglass lenses.

7. The eyeglass protective device of claim 4, further comprising a bow aperture in a predetermined position, wherein said eyeglass bow extends through said bow aperture.

8. The eyeglass protective device of claim 4, wherein said body portion and said edge are designed to form a covering having a pouch configuration.

9. The eyeglass protective device of claim 8, wherein said edge includes means for drawing said body portion snugly around said eyeglasses.

10. The eyeglass protective device of claim 9, wherein said means includes an elastic band.

11. The eyeglass protective device of claim 9, wherein said means includes a draw band.

12. The eyeglass protective device of claim 8, wherein said pouch-like covering has a display portion when covering said eyeglasses.

5 13. The eyeglass protective device of claim 12, wherein said display portion includes an aesthetic design.

14. The eyeglass protective device of claim 12, wherein said display portion includes promotional material.

10 15. A flexible, portable, protective device for eyeglasses having a pair of lenses and a pair of bows, comprising:

- 15 (a) a body portion constructed of a stretchable, cloth-like material configured in a pouch configuration, said body portion having an edge defining an opening through which the eyeglasses may be inserted into the body portion;
- (b) an elastic band disposed about said edge; and
- 20 (c) a bow aperture disposed in a predetermined position in said body portion, adapted so that one said eyeglass bow extends through said bow aperture, whereby said body portion protects the eyeglass lenses and wherein a portion of the eyeglasses are accessible and wherein

said extended bow may be used to hang said eyeglasses on an external surface.